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In re application of:

Wright et al.

Application No.: 09/415,696

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For: RECLOSABLE FASTENER

PROFILE SEAL AND METHOD OF FORMING A FASTENER PROFILE

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## **COMMUNICATION**

In response to the telephone communication with Tina Lee, Appellant is submitting herewith the Evidence Appendix and the Related Proceedings Appendix for the above identified matter.

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## ix. Evidence Appendix

Evidence entered by the Examiner and relied on by appellant:

- 1. U.S. Patent No. 5,071,689 issued to Paul A. Tilman cited by the Examiner in the Office Action of October 24, 2003;
- 2. Declaration of Tilman submitted September 10, 2003 and entered by the Examiner on October 24, 2003;
- 3. Webster's New Collegiate Dictionary, specifically, the definition of "airtight" cited in the Applicant's Amendment filed on August 30, 2004, not entered by the Examiner, but cited in the Examiner's Answer of September 28, 2005;
- 4. U.S. Patent No. 3,986,914 issued to Howard cited by the Examiner in the Office Action of October 24, 2003;
- 5. U.S. Patent No. 6,033,113 issued to Anderson cited by the Examiner in the Office Action of October 24, 2003;
- 6. Webster's New Collegiate Dictionary, specifically, the definition of "barrier" as cited in the Appellant's Reply Brief submitted on November 21, 2005.

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## X. Related proceedings appendix.

Appeal No. 2003-0068 filed June 17, 2002. Appellant includes:

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